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# upcoming at UD

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## UD MUSIC, COMEDY, ACTIVITIES WILL FOCUS ON DISABILITY AWARENESS

Disability Awareness Week at the University of Dayton will kick off on Monday, March 13 at 11:45 a.m. when six administrators climb into wheelchairs and begin their exploratory tours of the UD campus. The designated routes will all begin on the second floor of Kennedy Union and then proceed to various parts of campus.

Also on Monday, Johnnie Wilder Jr., a Dayton composer and arranger of music who has quadriplegia as a result of a 1979 car accident, will perform in the Kennedy Union Torch Lounge at 12:30 p.m. On Tuesday, March 14 at 12:30 p.m., Jim Dolphin, a Wright State University student who has paraplegia, will perform a comedy routine in the Kennedy Union Pub.

The MORES Mime Troupe, a group of five performers who have mental retardation, will be presented on Wednesday, March 15 at 8 p.m. in the Kennedy Union Ballroom. They will perform Shel Silverstein's "The Giving Tree."

Disability Awareness Week will end with an Access Mass on Thursday, March 16 at noon in the Immaculate Conception Chapel on campus. People with handicaps will participate in the service, as will "Hands in Harmony," the UD sign singing ensemble. For further information, contact UD's University Activities at (513) 229-4114.

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO WELCOME MORES MIME TROUPE

The University of Dayton's MORES Mime Troupe will give a performance of Shel Silverstein's book, "The Giving Tree," for Montgomery County Commissioners on Monday, March 13 at 10:30 a.m. at the Wegerzyn Garden Center, 1301 E. Siebenthaler Ave. The performance, originally slated for March 6 but postponed due to inclement weather, will help kick off Ohio's Mental Retardation and Developmental Disability (MR/DD) Month.

The five performers and narrator are residents of Kettering. The narrator is Lynn Berlon, and the performers are Cathy Corpstein, Vicki Russell, Jeff House, Martin Miller and Fran Zink. The performers have mental retardation.

For further information, contact Lynn Berlon at (513) 229-4325.



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